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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HIGHWAY 227 TO BE CLOSED THIS SATURDAY FOR COMMUNITY PARADE

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ARROYO GRANDE - Highway 227 (E. Branch) will be closed through the village of Arroyo Grande this Saturday, September 23 for the Harvest Festival Parade. The closure will be in effect from 7 am until 1 pm at the intersection of Hwy. 227 and Corbett Canyon Road/Huasna Road.

Motorists heading to Lopez Lake are encouraged to use the Fair Oaks off ramp from southbound Hwy. 101 and detour onto Traffic Way to East Cherry Avenue to Branch Hill Road.

The southbound Grand Avenue off ramp to Hwy. 101 will be closed from 9 am to 12 noon. East Grand Avenue will be closed from Barnett Street, through East Branch Street to the intersection of Hwy 227 (Corbett Canyon Road/Huasna Road). Motorists may exit Hwy. 101 on Traffic Way.

Road signs will be visible on Hwy. 101 and on local surface streets through Arroyo Grande during this event.

For traffic updates on other state highways in San Luis Obispo County, motorists can call Caltrans District 5 Public Affairs at 805-549-3318 or can visit the District 5 website at: http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/main/road/upslo.htm



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